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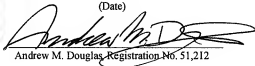
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FOR POSITIONING A  
CATHETER RELATIVE TO AN  
ANATOMICAL JUNCTION  
Examiner : Roy, Baisakhi  
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Andrew M. Douglas Registration No. 51,212**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**  
**MAILED SEPTEMBER 25, 2007****Mail Stop Amendment**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed September 25, 2007, Applicants respectfully submit the following in connection with the above-captioned patent application. Applicants respectfully request that the Examiner enter the following amendments and consider the following remarks.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 7 of this paper.